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WHEREAS we, Ronald R. Snyder Sr., residing at 4934
Washington Street, Schnecksville, Pennsylvania 18078, U.S.A.
and Douglas R. Dole, residing at 9 Minsi Road, Whitehouse
Station, New Jersey 08889, U.S.A., respectively, have made an
invention entitled PIPE PREPARATION DEVICE described and
claimed in an application for United States Letters Patent
therefor, the same being executed by us on the /2 th/ydday
of May, 2004, respectively.

AND WHEREAS, VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, having a place of business at 4901 Kesslersville Road, Easton, Pennsylvania 18040, U.S.A., desires to acquire the entire interest in said application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and confirm unto VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, its successors, assigns and legal representatives all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvement thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said application and any divisions, continuations, renewals and substitutes thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all patents granted on said invention to VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, as the assignee of the patents granted on said invention to VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, as the assignee of the entire interest therein and we further agree to execute upon request of the assignee such additional documents, if any, as are necessary and proper to secure patent protection on said invention, and to otherwise give full effect to, and perfect the rights of the assignee under this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name at Somewhite, for this 12 th day of MAY, 2004.  Somewhite, for this 12 th day of MAY, Ronald R. Snyder fr.
County of Nathampton:
County of <u>Nathampton</u> : State of <u>lennoylvania</u> :
On the $\cancel{/\cancel{J}^{+}}$ day of $\cancel{M_{\text{exp}}}$ , 2004, appeared before me in person the above-named Ronald R. Snyder Sr., and acknowledged the above to be his signatures and that he signed, sealed and delivered the above instrument as his voluntary act and deed and for uses and purposes therein set forth.
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